

Table III.B.1. Number of State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1998

Division	All State and local governments	State governments	Local governments				
			Less than 250 employees	250-999 employees	1,000-4,999 employees	5,000-9,999 employees	10,000 or more employees
United States	17,089,210	4,775,206	2,533,547	2,907,612	3,326,829	1,239,448	2,300,961
Census division							
New England	788,342	238,088	100,119	223,507	161,619 *	44,748	20,261
Middle Atlantic	2,396,566	593,912	305,811	465,589	283,778	175,268 *	572,206
East North Central	2,720,686	693,015	602,910	658,347	443,262	73,763	249,390
West North Central	1,330,601	358,561	400,973	219,287	246,576 *	82,779	22,423
South Atlantic	3,061,443	887,530	185,870	280,800	746,920	372,286	588,037
East South Central	1,133,899	439,306	108,905	222,638	232,157	52,352	78,540
West South Central	1,981,653	554,448	298,964	374,183	377,657	159,740	216,661
Mountain	1,072,118	333,729	165,339	160,124	225,177	104,830	82,919
Pacific	2,603,903	676,616	364,655 *	303,136	609,682	173,683	470,523

Standard error for number of State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1998

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United States	223,648	0	212,463	167,190	211,753	81,308	0
Census division							
New England	51,594	0	23,447	56,569	54,954 *	0	0
Middle Atlantic	167,969	0	36,090	92,094	82,166	68,547 *	0
East North Central	106,912	0	50,739	77,618	105,102	0	0
West North Central	86,077	0	29,678	38,049	89,494 *	10,290	0
South Atlantic	114,461	0	37,935	38,171	102,782	27,039	0
East South Central	46,539	0	23,052	26,680	44,293	0	0
West South Central	81,309	0	33,321	66,328	57,780	12,100	0
Mountain	39,678	0	23,846	17,126	42,887	21,444	0
Pacific	208,535	0	193,617 *	53,516	121,809	32,637	0

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1998 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey -- Insurance Component.

Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

Note: Standard errors of zero indicate that all governments in that category are in the survey.

\*Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.